

## SOCIAL and PERSONAL

LAST night the ballroom in the Masonic Temple was gay with dancers, and presented a brilliant scene when the fourth dance of the Tuesday Gorman was held from 9 to 12.

Henry Hotchkiss led the first figure with Mrs. Fred Pleasant in his usual graceful manner, the whole german being one of the brightest affairs of the winter.

Among those dancing were Miss Mary Taylor, with Mr. Blackstone; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Landon Cabell; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pleasant; Miss Rachel Urquhart, with Royall Turpin; Mrs. Ingram, with Judge Ingram; Miss Martha Robinson, with Robert Stuart; Miss Alice Doyle, with Herbert Chaborn; Miss Susie McGuire, with Henry Elliott; Miss Nalle, with Mr. Howard; Miss Sara Wingate, with Mr. Howard; Miss Barton, with Wallace Henderson; Miss Carrie Neal, with James Dunlop; Miss Mary Hart Crenshaw, with Percy Montague; Miss Julia Grant Moore, with Robert Arnold; Miss Frances Myers, with Stuart Chretien; Miss Mary Butler, with John Elliott; Miss Adams, with Mr. Laughton; Miss Eugenie Taylor, with Emil Baughman; Miss Barbara Trigg, with Charlie Stokes; Miss Julia Jones, with Nelson Robins; Miss Fannie Miller, with George Fitzgerald; Miss Josephine Elliott, with Fred Pollard; Miss Eleanor Lindsey, with Hiram Smith; Miss Daisy Boykin, with William Trigg; Miss Anne Royall, with Mr. Jennings; Miss Anita Cussens, with Mr. Gilliam; Miss Meta Randolph, with Artye Turner; Miss Robert Hamilton, with Pickett Lathrop; Miss Willis Wilson, with Barksdale Lathrop; Miss Peachy Fleet, with Nathan Middleton, of Baltimore; and John Cutchins; Miss Warfield Crenshaw, with John Martin; Miss Carolyn Remonds, with William Augustine; Miss Mary Moore, with Harvey Haynes; Miss Elsie Ingram, with Gordon Smith; Miss Elizabeth Brown, with Mr. Rose; Miss Jones, of Danville, with Mr. Osterloh; Miss Bernard Cooke, with Hampden Chamberlayne; Miss Mayer, with Mr. Hodgson; Miss Avis Grant, with Mr. Hazard; Miss Ella Buek, with Charles Shields; Miss Edith Taylor, with Mr. Lindsey; Mr. and Mrs. William L. Royall.

Among the stars were Aubin Boulware, John Allen Branch, Level Bosh, er, Cabell Fitzgerald and Fred Campbell.

To Entertain Informally.

Mrs. Howard Hoge will entertain a few friends informally this afternoon at 5 o'clock in her residence, 1601 West Grace Street, in honor of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Dowling, of Hopkinsville, Ky., who is her guest, and Mrs. Edmund Harrison Hoge.

Stay-at-Home Whist Club.

The next meeting of the Stay-at-Home Whist Club will be held in the home of Mrs. C. W. Brock, 294 East Franklin Street.

On Monday night five tables were engaged, when the club met with Thomas S. Moore in his residence, on West Franklin Street, Mrs. William Randolph Robins and Mr. Moore making top score.

Tea on Thursday.

Miss Helen Stevens will be hostess at a tea on Thursday afternoon, in honor of Miss Nan Godwin, of Pinecastle, Va., who is visiting her in her home, 819 Floyd Avenue.

Miss Winston at Club.

An interested audience at the Woman's Club on Monday afternoon heard Miss Anne Stegar Winston read selections from some of her unpublished manuscript, including three charming stories—one, a clever satire on a visit of condolence, was greatly enjoyed, followed by "The Turkey" and "The Intensity of Molly." A most delightful social hour was enjoyed.

Colonial Dames Met Friday.

The monthly meeting of the Colonial Dames in the State of Virginia will be held in the Woman's Club on Friday, February 5, at half-past 4 o'clock.

At Home This Afternoon.

This afternoon will be the first in a series of Wednesday afternoon at-homes which will be held during February in Mrs. W. T. Chapman's home, 106 North Ninth Street, when she and Mrs. Mayo will receive their friends.

For Mrs. Taylor.

Mrs. C. E. Borden will entertain a few friends this week in honor of her sister, Miss Taylor, of Wilmington, N. C.

McKeeffrey-Cannepa.

The wedding of Miss Elvira Annette Cannepa, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cannepa, to William Bernard McKeeffrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. John McKeeffrey, of Brooklyn, was celebrated yesterday morning at 7:30 o'clock in St. Patrick's Church, Rev. Hugh McKeeffrey, the groom's cousin, was the officiating clergyman.

The church was artistically decorated in palms and cut flowers. The bride was given away by her brother, Columbus Cannepa, Dr. W. L. McGowan, John Nokeley, Amelio Cannepa and David Griffith were the ushers.

The best man was Howard McKeeffrey, brother of the groom. The bride was handsomely gowned in a suit of imported blue cloth with hat and gloves to match, and carried a shower bouquet of violets and lilies of the valley.

Mr. and Mrs. McKeeffrey left immediately after the ceremony for New York, and will sail on Thursday for an extended European tour, and on their return will make their home in Brooklyn, N. Y.

The entire bridal party was delightfully entertained in the bride's home, on Oakwood Avenue, on Monday evening.

Among the out-of-town guests present at the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. John McKeeffrey, Howard McKeeffrey, Mrs. Francis Lavery, Miss Effie Braisted and William Lowry, all of Brooklyn.

Founder's Day.

At the board meeting of Sheltering Arms Hospital, on Monday last, arrangements were made for the keeping of Founder's Day by a most attractive program.

The parlors, halls and dining room will be decorated with roses, carnations and palms, developing the color idea in red and green. Guests will be received by the officers and members of the board, among them Miss Frances Scott, Miss Sally Anderson, Mrs.

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MISS ELVIRA ANNETTE CANNEPA, Whose Wedding Took Place Yesterday.

James Alston Cabell, Mrs. C. P. Leo, Mrs. J. D. Kidd, Mrs. D. A. Kuyk, Mrs. D. T. Williams, Mrs. E. T. Robinson and Mrs. George T. King. The reception committee will be assisted by the leaders of the different circles of King's Daughters in Richmond.

In the dining room Mrs. D. T. Williams and Mrs. A. D. Landerkin will have charge, and refreshments will be served by the King's Daughters.

The music will be furnished by the choir of Monumental Episcopal Church, and Mrs. Sally Montgomery Brown will be the soloist of the occasion.

James Alston Cabell will make the address, and the services will be conducted by the Rev. P. T. McFaden, the Rev. J. N. Latham, the Rev. H. D. C. MacLachlan and the Right Rev. Bishop Van de Vyver.

Schweyer—English. The wedding of Miss Alice Taber English to Herbert Schweyer, son of H. A. Schweyer, of Pennsylvania, was quietly celebrated in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. English, 5 East Cary Street, yesterday morning at 11 o'clock. Only the relatives and most intimate friends were present at the ceremony, which was performed by Rev. H. D. C. MacLachlan, of Seventh Street Church.

There were no attendants. The bride wore a smart costume of navy blue cloth, and carried a large bouquet of orchids. She was given away by her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Schweyer left immediately for New York, and will go later to make their home in Easton, Pa.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. Julia P. DeBlott, of New York, is the guest of Mrs. Winch in her apartment at the Chesterfield.

Frank Sutton and Thomas Brockenbrough have returned from Fredericksburg.

Mrs. Alexander Jones, nee Miss Emily Whittle, formerly of Richmond, is visiting her nephew, Dr. Frank Upshur, at 1847 West Grace Street.

Mrs. Lawrence Patrick, of Richmond, is the guest of Mrs. Patrick, in Danville.

Misses Berly Barber, Grace Vest and Violet Bennett have returned to Richmond after spending the week-end delightfully in the home of Rev. H. H. Barber, in Fredericksburg.

Mrs. Speed has returned to her home in Kentucky, after visiting Mrs. Henry Aylett Sampson.

Miss Margaret Davidson, of Millboro Springs, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Graham Davidson, at their apartments at the Chesapeake Hotel.

Miss Irma Pearce left Monday for Sanford, Fla., to visit her friend, Mrs. S. G. Kennedy. While in Florida Miss Pearce will visit Jacksonville, St. Augustine and other points of interest.

Mrs. Blanche Moncreu, of Williamsburg, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Trevelian, in their home, 215 South Third Street.

Mrs. Virginia Blankenship will leave next Monday to spend two weeks at Chase City.

Miss Gladys Edwards Neale is having a most enjoyable time in Atlanta, Ga., where she is the guest of Miss Maupin.

Mrs. Joseph R. Ives, of Norfolk, has issued invitations for a tea to be given on Thursday afternoon, from 4 to 6, at her apartments in the Merline, in honor of Miss Susie Chilton Norris, of Lancaster county, and her sister, Miss Ella Eugenia Ives.

Miss Grace Gray, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Thomas S. Martin, at "Monte Sano" near Charlottesville, is in the city.

Miss Leslie Burgess, of Warrington, Va., and George C. Kern, of Washington, were married at Rockville, Md., Saturday by Rev. S. R. White.

## Winn-Vier.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) KEYSVILLE, Va., February 2.—A wedding took place here yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Vier on King Street, when their daughter, Alma, became the wife of Mr. Winn, of Danville, Va. The Rev. Samuel Conrad of the Methodist Church here, performed the ceremony.

## ARRANGE PLANS TO UNVEIL STATUE

A. P. V. A. to Discuss Change in Constitution—Name Standing Committees

A most important general meeting of the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities will be held on the afternoon of Tuesday next in the room of the Virginia Historical Society. This meeting is called for preliminary discussion, by Richmond members, of the proposed amendment to the constitution that is to be acted on at the meeting March 2.

At the central committee meeting held yesterday at 11 A. M., Mrs. J. Taylor Elyson was in the chair. The reading of the minutes was followed by the report of the corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. Enders Robinson, who said that she had had 500 copies of the majority and minority reports submitted by the committee on constitutional revision—Messrs. Bryan, Sams and Garrett—printed, and had sent out 320 of these to branch associations, reserving the remainder for the meeting of March 2.

The treasurer's report was comprehensive and excellent, and was heard with great interest. The treasurer, Mrs. W. C. Bentley, reported two new annual members—Mrs. Charles Rollin Miller, of Adrian, Michigan, and Mrs. Alice Carter, of Shirely, on James River. John P. Lightfoot, chairman of the Jamestown committee, announced in his report that she would make use of funds given by the Nashville and Newington branch associations for the restoration of the old well at Jamestown, and the placing of a sun-dial in the garden. It is to be laid out around the Daughters of the American Revolution Building, Mr. Manning's plans for the garden having been accepted.

Mrs. E. Valentine, of the life membership committee, reported the following members: Mrs. George S. Holmes, Mrs. J. B. Lightfoot, Mrs. E. C. van Haagen, Judge R. Carter Scott, Misses Anna and Nellie Boykin, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar D. Taylor, Governor C. A. Swanson, Dr. H. B. Melvin, Mrs. R. W. Watkins, Mrs. Cunningham Hall, Mrs. Henry T. Wickham, Mrs. W. A. Anderson and Mrs. W. J. Hubard.

To Unveil on Easter Week.

It was decided that the unveiling of the John Smith statue at Jamestown should take place on Easter Monday, April 14. Miss Betty Elyson offered her services in behalf of the association as chairman of the refreshments committee on the excursion for this date. A vote of thanks was given her for her kindness, and she was appointed chairman of the luncheon committee for the annual excursion on May 13.

Committees in regard to the Ripple graveyard at Wideswater, and the restoration of the ancient capitol at Williamsburg, were named by Mrs. Elyson. Those present were Messdames Elyson, E. V. Valentine, J. B. Lightfoot, Henry Taylor, Jr., C. W. P. Brock, S. H. Yonge, W. A. Anderson, J. Alston Cabell, J. H. Southall, James E. Cannon, W. C. Standard, G. G. Valentine, Thomas Bolling, Walter Christian, Lucy F. Murray, J. Enders Robinson, W. C. Bentley, W. J. Hubard, Alice M. Tyler and Miss Kate James.

Those excused were Messdames G. R. Cannon, N. R. Savage and Christopher Tompkins.

The following "standing committees" were appointed: Ways and Means—Mrs. J. Caske Cabell, chairman; Mrs. E. G. Leigh, Mrs. Thomas Bolling, Mrs. C. W. P. Brock, Mrs. Lucy F. Murray, Mrs. N. V. Savage, Mrs. Walter Christian, Mrs. Christopher Tompkins, Mrs. J. Alston Cabell and Mrs. C. A. Swanson.

Landmark—Mrs. W. G. Standard, Mrs. Henry Taylor, Jr., and Mrs. S. H. Yonge.

Auditing—Miss M. P. Harris, Mrs. William Tompkins, Mrs. George H. Cannon.

Life Certificate—Mrs. E. V. Valentine.

Jamestown—Mrs. John B. Lightfoot, chairman. Committee the same as in 1908.

Membership—Mrs. R. W. Watkins, Mrs. E. V. Valentine, Mrs. Charles B. Ball, Miss Ella M. Thomas, Mrs. W. A. Anderson, Mrs. J. Alston Cabell, Mrs. A. Langstaff Johnson, Mrs. Edgar D. Taylor and Mrs. James E. Cannon.

Press—Mrs. Alice M. Tyler, Mrs. J. Enders Robinson.

Lecture—Mrs. J. H. Southall.

Publication—Mrs. Joseph E. Willard, Mrs. E. G. Leigh and Mrs. W. T. Robinson.

Mrs. Kehl Entertainess. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NORFOLK, Va., February 2.—Mrs. W. J. Kehl entertained yesterday afternoon at her apartment in the Hotel Court at a three-table bridge party, after which a few friends were invited for afternoon tea at each table.

There was prize given the winners. Those who scored highest were Mrs. Holt Page, Mrs. J. Leighton Hubbard and Miss Mary Leigh. Mrs. Kehl's guests were: Mrs. P. Page, Mrs. L. Ward, Mrs. H. N. Page, Mrs. J. L. Hubbard, Mrs. F. M. Kellman, Mrs. Holt Page, Mrs. Kehl, Mrs. Charles Wood, Mrs. E. C. S. Tallafra, Miss Mary Leigh, Miss Helen Hughes, Miss Ethel Reynolds and Miss Grace, of Canada.

Marriage Announced. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHATHAM, Va., February 2.—Miss Lizzie Watson and Rev. L. W. Guyer, of Danville, will be married at the home of the bride in West Graham Tuesday afternoon, February 5, at 3 o'clock. The bride-to-be is the daughter of Superintendent P. M. Watson, of Pittsylvania county schools, of this place. The groom-elect is pastor of Cabell Street Methodist Church, of Danville, for three years. He was pastor of the Watson Memorial Church, of this place, leaving this charge at the last meeting of the general conference.

The ceremony will be performed by Rev. H. A. Will, presiding elder of this district, assisted by Rev. J. E. Brooks, pastor of the Watson Memorial Methodist Church here.

Will Be Married To-Morrow. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHATHAM, Va., February 2.—The marriage of Miss Sadie Boone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Boone, of Swansville, to Letcher A. Boyatz, of Chestnut Level, will be celebrated in the Swansville Methodist Church at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, February 4.

Wedding To-Day. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

HIGH POINT, N. C., February 2.—J. Lindsay Ferguson will be united in marriage to-morrow afternoon in Durham to Miss Lora Lyon, the ceremony being performed at the home of the bride's mother on Mangum Street by Rev. C. L. Powers, of the First Baptist Church, of this city. The bride is the daughter of the late E. W. Lyon.

Anti-Saloon Meeting. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

CHATHAM, Va., February 2.—An important meeting of the Pittsylvania county Anti-Saloon League will be held in the Baptist Church Thursday morning, and will be called to order by County President W. T. Shelton, who will preside over the deliberations of the body. Rev. V. D. Gaston, of the Presbyterian Church, will open with devotional exercises. Delegates to the State Anti-Saloon League, which meets in Norfolk, will be elected at this meeting.

News of Arvon. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

ARVON, Va., February 2.—David W. Pierce, owner and editor of the James River Clarion, published here, and a prominent business man, is expected to leave for New York, Mr. Pierce came home two weeks ago from a business trip to New York, and immediately took to his bed. His condition has been serious since that time.

On Sunday morning, in the midst of the high wind, the home of Nathan Hughes, a colored man, who lived on the New Canton Road, was completely destroyed by fire.

Old "Uncle" Watson Jenkins, a well-known colored preacher of this place, died at his home last Friday night. He was buried at the Baptist Union Church yesterday. The funeral was such a great one that some of the quarries

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## The Record of 1908

The fiscal year ending December 31st was pre-eminently a prosperous one for the policyholders of this Company. In every material respect their interests have been advanced.

Favorable features of the year may be noted as follows:

The assets are now \$539,038,968.13, an increase of \$44,861,947.10.

The total net reserve for outstanding policies and annuities is \$433,137,716.00, an increase of \$13,042,974.00.

The reserve held for payment of deferred dividends and other contingencies (so-called "surplus") is \$85,844,991.20, an increase of \$28,314,221.75.

The premium income for 1908 was \$58,994,653.29, an increase of \$2,355,453.09.

The total income for 1908 was \$84,880,026.81, an increase of \$3,705,552.96.

The new insurance paid for (not including revived) was \$93,926,992.00, an increase of \$45,206,942.00.

The interest and rents received were \$24,300,559.94, an increase of \$1,466,453.91.

On the other hand, the death claims paid during the year were \$21,664,819.77, a decrease of \$1,629,213.04.

## Increased Dividends.

There has been appropriated for dividends to be paid in 1909 the sum of \$11,092,282.38.

This sum greatly exceeds the largest amount ever before paid as dividends in a single year by any company. The increase made in the annual dividends of The Mutual Life in recent years, as a result of changes and improvements instituted by the Board of Trustees, is unparalleled.

## In Economy of Management the Company Stands Pre-eminent.

The total expense of management (exclusive of taxes) paid in 1908 was \$7,123,180.69.

This is but 8.39 per cent. of the total income—a lower ratio of expense than any American company doing a general business has heretofore been able to show. It has sometimes been asserted that the decreasing expenses of various companies in recent years are due merely to a smaller amount of new insurance written. This is not true of The Mutual Life. Although there has been an increase in new paid-for business in 1908 of \$45,206,942.00 over the amount written in 1907, involving an increase of \$432,680.83 in first commissions, the other expenses show reduction aggregating \$738,799.14, making a net reduction in expense of management of \$306,118.31.

## Balance Sheet, December 31, 1908

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Real Estate	\$26,106,020 54	Net Policy Reserve	\$433,137,716 00
Mortgage Loans on Real Estate	126,126,941 39	Other Liabilities on Policies	5,502,550 52
Loans on Policies	63,045,558 17	Premiums and Interest paid in advance	1,826,602 47
Collateral Loans	2,500,000 00	Dividends payable in 1909	11,092,282 38
Bonds (book value) and stocks (market value)	300,279,002 09	Miscellaneous Liabilities	7,744,735 50
Cash	5,026,022 04	Held for future dividends and contingencies	\$5,844,991 20
Interest and Rents, due and accrued	3,556,745 03		
Premiums in course of collection	4,117,020 87		
Admitted Assets	\$539,038,968 13	Total Liabilities	\$539,038,968 13

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